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New Patients	}	From Oxford, THURSDAY, 9.30 a.m.
Admitted		From Country, WEDNESDAY, 9.30 a.m.
After First	}	From Oxford, TUESDAY, 10 a.m.
Attendance		From Country, WEDNESDAY, 10 a.m.

Accidents and Urgent Cases admitted at any time.

THE OXFORD EYE HOSPITAL

WALTON STREET

(FOUNDED BY ROBERT WALTER DOYNE IN 1886)

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The Committee earnestly desires more ANNUAL SUBSCRIPTIONS. It should be remembered that the list is being continually reduced by changes of residence, death, and other causes.

DONATIONS are also asked for, especially from those who, not being always resident or from other causes, cannot undertake a regularly recurring subscription.

The Hospital is glad to receive gifts of vegetables, potatoes, fruit, milk, old linen, etc., etc.; and papers, magazines, pictures, games, and toys for the children. These should be sent to the Matron at the Hospital.

THE INVESTED CAPITAL of the Hospital is very small. After paying the rent and taxes but little is left to meet the heavy expenses of maintenance. The Committee is most anxious to see the Permanent Fund increased.

CHEQUES and POSTAL ORDERS should be made payable to

“THE OXFORD AND DISTRICT JOINT HOSPITALS BOARD ”

and remittances sent to the Oxford and District Joint Hospitals Board, 2 King Edward Street, with an intimation that the sum is to be earmarked for the Oxford Eye Hospital (if this is desired); or they may be made payable to

“THE OXFORD EYE HOSPITAL,”

and sent to the Hospital addressed to the HONORARY SECRETARY; or they may be paid direct to BARCLAYS BANK LIMITED, St. Aldate's, Oxford, to the account of the Hospital.

FORM OF LEGACY.—I give and bequeath to the OXFORD EYE HOSPITAL, the sum of.....pounds, **free of duty**, for the general purposes of the said Hospital. And I declare that the receipt of the Treasurer for the time being of the said Hospital shall be an effectual discharge for the said Legacy.



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THE OXFORD EYE HOSPITAL WALTON STREET

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Patronesses:

THE DOWAGER COUNTESS OF JERSEY.

THE COUNTESS OF MACCLESFIELD.

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The attention of Subscribers is respectfully directed to Extracts from the Rules, page 28.

The Hon. Secretary will feel much obliged by being informed of any inaccuracies or omissions that may occur in the List of Subscribers, in order that they may be corrected in the next Report.

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† Representing the University of Oxford.

‡ Representing the Clarendon Press Hospital Fund.

§ Trustee.

HOSPITAL STAFF, 1941

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SIR E. FARQUHAR BUZZARD, BART.,
M.A., M.D., F.R.C.P., Regius Professor of Medicine.

Honorary Physician:

A. G. GIBSON, M.A., M.D., F.R.C.P.

Honorary Surgeon:

P. E. H. ADAMS, M.A., M.B., B.Ch., D.O. (Oxon), F.R.C.S.
(Margaret Ogilvie's Reader in Ophthalmology).

Honorary Assistant Surgeon:

A. C. L. HOULTON, M.A., M.B., B.Ch. (Cantab.), D.O. (Oxon),
D.O.M.S., M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P.

Honorary Physician to Out-Patients.

WILLIAM STOBIE, O.B.E., J.P., M.D. (Edin.), F.R.C.P.

Honorary Assistant Physician to Out-Patients:

L. W. H. BERTIE, M.A., M.B.

Honorary Anaesthetist:

DR. F. PRATT.

Resident Medical Officer:

KENNETH R. BROWN, M.C., M.B., Ch.B. (Edin.), D.O.M.S.

Orthoptist:

MISS B. N. HARE.

Clinical Assistant:

MISS E. C. M. BRUNYATE, B.M., B.Ch.

Honorary Clinical Assistant:

MISS W. M. FISH, M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P., D.O.M.S. (Eng.).

Matron:

MISS T. CHEESBROUGH.

Dispenser:

MISS E. PINYON.

The House Committee, 1941.

Chairman: Mrs. G. C. BOURNE. Mrs. M. N. TOD.

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ANNUAL REPORT, 1940

THE Committee present herewith their Annual Report and Statement of Accounts for the year ending December 31st, 1940.

General and House Committees.

The Committee regret the loss by death of three of its members, Mr. H. Akers, Mr. J. De La Mare, and Mr. A. P. Dodds Parker. Mr. E. Mallam, Mr. A. B. Gillett, the Rev. H. W. Mackenzie, Mr. Sidney Arundell, Miss Ewbank and Sir Arthur Nelson have resigned their membership. The following new members have joined the Committee: Professor E. G. T. Liddell (representing the University), the Very. Revd. J. Lowe, D.D., Dean of Christ Church, Mrs. H. V. Knox, Mrs. S. Watson, Mrs. L. L. Dixon, representing the Radcliffe Infirmary, and Mr. L. V. Murphy. The Committee met three times on the usual dates.

The House Committee has lost by resignation their Honorary Secretary Miss Vernon Harcourt, who has served the Hospital in that capacity for ten years, and to whose loyal and devoted services the Committee desires to give the warmest acknowledgement. The Committee also desires to express its sense of gratitude to Mrs. W. Perkin, who has resigned from the House Committee after 13 years of ungrudging service. It is a matter for congratulation that these ladies are still able to give the General Committee the benefit of their experience. The Committee's thanks are also given to Miss Ewbank for her services in the past, she also has been obliged to resign.

Staff.

Dr. Spooner was succeeded as Resident Medical Officer by Dr. Kenneth R. Browne, M.C., M.B., Ch.B. (Edin.), D.O.M.S., and the Honorary Staff of the Hospital was strengthened by the appointment of Dr. E. Pratt as Honorary Anaesthetist.

The Committee records with regret the death of Miss Lily Sherlock, for 20 years cook at the Hospital.

Working of the Hospital.

There was a decrease in the number of in-patients from 501 to 467, but the daily average of occupied beds and the average length of stay in hospital has increased; so has in the work of the Hospital in all other respects; attendances from 14635 to 16068, and operations from 2054 to 2138. Emergency Medical Service Patients accounted for 43 in-patients and 858 attendances of out-patients. There was an increase of 54 patients in the Orthoptic Clinic.

Finance.

In spite of the difficulties of the past year, the financial position has been maintained though it must be said that this is chiefly due to payments amounting to £647 under the Emergency Hospital Scheme. Including this sum but excluding legacies, income exceeded expenditure by £24.

In order to bring the accounts into line with the uniform system for small hospitals it has been necessary to classify some items of income and expenditure under different headings from those of previous years. This makes comparison of the figures of this year with previous years misleading, and consequently the figures for the preceding year are not, this year, shown in the Cash Account.

Voluntary gifts show an increase of £65 over the previous year whilst the amount for services rendered (excluding the Emergency Hospital Scheme) increased by £105.

The general willingness of the patients to contribute according to their means is most gratifying.

Strict economy has been exercised in expenditure and only essentials have been purchased. There has been a saving of over £100 under the heading of " Surgery and Dispensary " but this is chiefly due to the fact that in 1939 an extra large stock was purchased while it could be had. Other payments on the expenditure side are very much the same as in previous years.

Hospital Canteen.

Members of the House Committee have started a canteen on Wednesdays to enable country out-patients to get tea and light refreshments during the period of waiting. This venture has been most successful and is much appreciated.

Special Donations.

The Committee gratefully acknowledge the following special donation:—

Alexandra Rose Day	£65	0	0
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Legacies.

The Committee are pleased to report the receipt of the following legacies:—

				£	s.	d.
Miss F. Ward	..	..	..	50	0	0
Miss F. A. Rawsley	..	..	..	100	0	0

Under the will of Miss Sarah Hulbert the Hospital expects to receive Stocks worth about £7,000.

The Hospital has also under the will of Mr. A. E. Jervis Smith been left the reversion of £1000.

The Linen League.

The Committee again offers its warmest thanks to Lady Elton and her fellow workers of the Linen League. £85 were collected, and over 100 articles of linen received. Over 30 pairs of sheets were collected and much curtain material, as well as towels, table cloths and other necessities.

Thanks.

In conclusion, the Committee have pleasure in expressing their thanks to the Professional Staff, the Matron and the Nurses for another year's excellent work: to the Rev. C. R. F. Diggle and students of Wycliffe Hall for conducting services in the Wards; to the band of Readers; and to Lady Elton and her fellow workers of the Linen League. Also to the donors of many gifts in kind.

STATISTICAL TABLE RELATING TO PATIENTS FOR LAST
FIVE YEARS, 1936-40.

	1936	1937	1938	1939	1940
New Patients and Re-admissions	4389	4310	3441	3370	3651
In-patients	410	499	472	501	467
Attendances	11307	11193	12118	14635	16068
Operations	1875	1900	2042	2054	2138
Daily average of household (including officers, nurses, servants and patients) ..	38.5	39.5	40	43	47.5
Average weekly cost of food per head	8/2	8/3½	8/9¼	8/11½	8/8¼
Average length of stay of patients in hospital ..	16.75 days	15.3 days	15.5 days	16.25 days	18 days
Average daily number of oc- cupied beds	21	20.75	20.8	22.23	24

TABLE OF OPERATIONS, 1940.

	Men.	Wom.	Child.	Total.
Cataract	29	34	1	64
Operation on Lids—In-Patients ..	6	8	3	17
Out-patients ..	—	—	—	364
Excision of Eyeball	11	7	1	19
Operations on Cornea—In-patients ..	11	5	—	16
Out-patients ..	—	—	—	1074
Operations on Iris	19	18	—	37
Operations for Glaucoma	19	11	3	33
Operations on Ocular Muscles	—	2	37	39
Operations on Lachrymal Structures—				
In-patients	2	7	—	9
Out-patients	180	210	63	453
Removal of Intra Ocular Foreign Body with Giant Magnet	2	—	—	2
Detached Retina	4	2	—	6
Operations on Orbit	4	1	—	5
Total				2138
Total number of General Anaesthetic Cases—In-patients ..				98
Out-patients ..				29

TABLE OF NEW PATIENTS AND RE-ADMISSIONS
DURING THE LAST FIVE YEARS, 1936-40.

SUMMARY.

FROM	1936	1937	1938	1939	1940
OXFORD	2025	2061	1676	1633	1876
OXFORDSHIRE	1243	1194	941	917	911
BERKSHIRE	674	677	541	470	557
BUCKINGHAMSHIRE ..	288	239	203	168	180
GLOUCESTERSHIRE ..	73	70	50	47	58
NORTHAMPTONSHIRE ..	46	39	24	36	22
WARWICKSHIRE	11	8	10	4	10
WILTSHIRE	23	15	3	12	3
WORCESTERSHIRE ..	2	1	1	—	1
OTHER PLACES	4	6	3	83	42
Total	4389	4310	3441	3370	3651
Men	1155	1238	900	877	971
Women	2697	2550	2134	1932	2002
Children	627	522	407	561	678
In-Patients	410	499	472	501	467
Attendances ..	11307	11193	12118	14635	16068

ORTHOPTIC CLINIC, 1940.

	<i>Patients.</i>	<i>Attendances.</i>
OXFORD	203	1766
OXFORDSHIRE	76	515
BERKSHIRE	49	307
BUCKINGHAMSHIRE AND NORTHAMPTONSHIRE	12	32
E.M.S. PATIENTS	32	213
	<u>372</u>	<u>2833</u>
New Patients (Increase of 54) .. ..	..	214
Patients Discharged:		
Squints and Asthenic Phorias .. ..	..	88
Single Binocular Vision and no symptoms		66
Improved .. ..	..	14
No improvement .. ..	..	8

Owing to the increasing number of Patients Miss Todd, the Assistant Orthoptist, now attends two days a week.

OUT-PATIENTS.

	1939			1940		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Payments	293	18	0	325	6	0
Contributions	27	10	3	37	11	6
Attendances	146	35		160	68	
Casualties	17	30		18	19	
Exemptions	41	82		54	34	
Minor Operations	30	70		32	02	
Total No. of general anaesthetic cases (O.P.)		30			29	
Operations on Lids	148			364		
„ Lachrymal Structures	562			453		
„ Cornea—Foreign Bodies	820			886		
„ „ Ulcers ..	236			188		
Pressed Steel (Accidents)	536			842		
Morris Motors	533			533		
Clarendon Press	134			174		
Osberton Radiators	257			243		
Gas Co.	52			49		
Oxford and Cowley Iron Works ..	25			38		

Emergency Medical Service, 1940—

In-patients 43—1166 nights.

Out-patients 161—858 attendances.

CASH ACCOUNT FOR THE YEAR

GENERAL

RECEIPTS.

			£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Balance—1st January, 1940..	..	..	..	..	..	711	7	9
Matron .. .. .	..	..	55	0	0			
Deposit Account at Bank..	..	..	471	17	2			
Current Account at Bank ..	..	..	137	13	7			
Cash awaiting Banking ..	..	..	46	17	0			
			<u>£711 7 9</u>					
Voluntary Gifts .. .. .	..	..				962	0	2
Subscriptions .. .. .	..	..	91	12	0			
Subscriptions per Joint Hospitals Board..	..	..	171	19	6			
Donations, Personal .. .. .	..	..	91	7	0			
Donations per Joint Hospitals Board—								
Personal .. .. .	..	..	7	7	0			
Donations—Charity Trustees .. .. .	..	..	15	15	0			
Donations—Charity Trustees per Joint								
Hospitals Board .. .. .	..	..	30	7	0			
Donations—Miscellaneous .. .. .	..	..	28	12	0			
Donations—Miscellaneous per Joint Hos-								
pitals Board .. .. .	..	..	72	2	0			
Donations—Entertainments .. .. .	..	..	20	9	3			
Donations—Entertainments per Joint								
Hospitals Board .. .. .	..	..		5	0			
Donations—Friendly Societies .. .. .	..	..	6	5	0			
Donations—Churches, Chapels, etc. ..	..	..	81	13	8			
Donations—Churches, Chapels, etc. per								
Joint Hospitals Board .. .. .	..	..	70	3	5			
Donations—League of Mercy .. .. .	..	..	5	0	0			
Joint Hospitals Board Allocation Account			172	15	0			
Collecting Boxes .. .. .	..	..	96	7	4			
			<u>£962 0 2</u>					
Contribution on Account of Services Rendered						3451	4	11
Payments by Private Patients .. .. .	..	..	335	5	6			
Payments by In-Patients.. .. .	..	..	439	7	4			
Radcliffe Contributory Scheme (payments)			758	13	0			
Payments by Out-Patients .. .. .	..	..	325	6	0			
Contributions by Out-Patients .. .. .	..	..	37	11	6			
Contributions for Medicines .. .. .	..	..	137	4	3			
Employees Contributions .. .. .	..	..	451	7	3			
Employees' Contributions per Joint Hos-								
pitals Board .. .. .	..	..	17	6	0			
Carried forward .. .. .	..	..				£5124	12	10

ENDED 31ST DECEMBER, 1940

FUND.

PAYMENTS.

					£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Provisions .. .. .	..	..	..	..				1051	6	2
Surgery and Dispensary .. .. .	..	..	..	..				613	6	0
Drugs .. .. .	..	..	..	..	424	2	4			
Salaries and Wages .. .. .	..	..	..	..	189	3	8			
					<u>£613</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>0</u>			
Domestic .. .. .	..	..	..	..				1200	10	1
Renewal and Repairs .. .. .	..	..	..	..	198	11	5			
Laundry .. .. .	..	..	..	..	275	14	4			
Cleaning, etc. .. .. .	..	..	..	..	292	0	5			
Water .. .. .	..	..	..	..	9	17	3			
Fuel, etc. .. .. .	..	..	..	..	378	14	10			
Uniforms .. .. .	..	..	..	..	38	7	7			
Sundries .. .. .	..	..	..	..	7	4	3			
					<u>£1200</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>1</u>			
Salaries and Wages Maintenance .. .. .	..	..	..	..				1873	7	2
Medical .. .. .	..	..	..	..	206	5	0			
Nursing .. .. .	..	..	..	..	863	5	3			
Orthoptic .. .. .	..	..	..	..	269	9	10			
Others .. .. .	..	..	..	..	532	7	1			
Pensions .. .. .	..	..	..	..	2	0	0			
					<u>1873</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>2</u>			
Miscellaneous .. .. .	..	..	..	..				113	12	5
Printing, Stationery, Postages, etc. .. .. .	..	..	..	..	61	7	10			
Advertisements .. .. .	..	..	..	..	2	4	0			
Insurance .. .. .	..	..	..	..	39	18	11			
Sundries .. .. .	..	..	..	..	10	1	8			
					<u>£113</u>	<u>12</u>	<u>5</u>			
Administration .. .. .	..	..	..	..				98	9	11
Salaries .. .. .	..	..	..	..	52	0	0			
Printing .. .. .	..	..	..	..	33	10	4			
Auditors .. .. .	..	..	..	..	8	19	7			
Sundries .. .. .	..	..	..	..	4	0	0			
					<u>£98</u>	<u>9</u>	<u>11</u>			
Carried forward .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	£4950	11	9

CASH ACCOUNT

	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Brought forward				5124	12	10
Payments for Squint Clinics	230	0	11			
Emergency Hospital Scheme	647	0	0			
Anaesthetic Fees	4	14	6			
Oxford Corporation—Ophthalmia Neonatorum	19	15	0			
Miscellaneous Receipts	47	13	8			
	<u>£3451</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>11</u>			
Bank Interest				4	7	0
Interest on Investments				857	7	8
Extraordinary				456	8	9
Payments for School Clinics	189	0	0			
Legacies	150	0	0			
Income Tax Rebate	117	8	9			
	<u>£456</u>	<u>8</u>	<u>9</u>			

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Jan. 1. Balance at Bank, per last Account £1 12 3

GENERAL

	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
1940						
Jan. 1. Interest on £634 1s. 7d. War Stock						
3½%	11	1	11			
Dec. 2. Interest on £634 1s. 7d. War Stock						
3½%	11	1	11			
	<u>£22</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>10</u>			

(continued)

	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Brought forward				4950	11	9
Establishment—Renewals and Repairs ..				96	15	7
Finance				185	0	0
Rent	110	0	0			
Rates	75	0	0			
	<u>£185 0 0</u>					
Extraordinary				324	19	0
Contributions to Other Institutions ..	23	12	0			
Payments to Medical Officers, School Clinics	189	0	0			
Payments to Medical Officers for E.H.S.	112	7	0			
	<u>£324 19 0</u>					
Balances in Hand				885	9	11
Matron	65	0	0			
Deposit Account at Bank	421	17	2			
Current Account at Bank	372	12	6			
Cash awaiting banking	26	0	3			
	<u>£885 9 11</u>					
				<u>£6,442 16 3</u>		

EQUIPMENT FUND

RESERVE FUND

1940	£	s.	d.
Dec. 5. Purchase of £21 1s. 0d. War Loan 3½%	22	3	10
	<u>£22 3 10</u>		

LIST OF INVESTMENTS AT 31ST DECEMBER, 1940.

£2,500 L.M.S. Railway 4% Debenture Stock.
 £2,500 Southern Railway 4% Debenture Stock
 £1,300 G.W. Railway 4% Debenture Stock.
 £250 Funding Loan 4% 1960/90.
 £3,938 4s. 11d. 3½% Conversion Stock.
 £1,700 3% Conversion Stock.
 £2,428 12s. 11d. 2½% Consolidated Stock.
 £1,001 10s. 6d. 3% India Stock.
 £200 2½% India Stock.
 £383 12s. 5d. 3% Local Loans.
 £599 G.W. Railway 5% Consolidated Guaranteed Stock.
 £3,599 10s. 11d. 4% New Zealand 1943/63.
 £4,871 2s. 0d. 3½% War Loan "B" Account.
 £655 2s. 7d. 3½% War Loan "A" Account.
 £1,750 3% Plymouth (Devenport) Corporation 1920/60.
 £1,250 3% Liverpool Corporation 1954/64.

AUDITOR'S REPORT.

We have examined the foregoing Accounts with the books and vouchers of the Hospital and find the same to be correct. We have verified the Investments as set out in the above list.

As the Auditors can have no complete check upon the amounts received from subscribers, contributors and donators, the Honorary Secretary of the Hospital has prepared lists of these which have been checked and which are published in the Report.

8, KING EDWARD STREET,
 OXFORD.
 29 March, 1941.

THORNTON & THORNTON,
Chartered Accountants.

SUBSCRIPTIONS, 1940

RECEIVED DIRECT.

					£	s.	d.
Akers, Miss	..	..	..	Oxford		10	0
Baker, Miss A. G.	..	..	Newton Abbott		2	2	0
Banbury Co-operative Society	..		Banbury		2	2	0
Barnett, Col. G. H.	...	..	Glympton		1	1	0
Bellairs, Miss Hylda	..	..	Oxford		1	0	0
Biggs, Mrs.	..	..	Oxford		1	1	0
Birch-Reynardson, Mrs.	..	..	Adwell		1	0	0
Boots, Messrs. the Chemists	..	..	Nottingham			10	6
Bowman, Prof. H. L.	..	..	Oxford		3	3	0
Boyle, Mrs. L. K.	..	..	Great Milton		2	0	0
Brackley Accident Assurance Society			Brackley		3	3	0
Briggs, Miss L. ...	..	..	Wheatley		2	2	0
Brownrigg, C. E.	..	..	Oxford		2	2	0
Bullock, Miss	..	..	Oxford			10	6
Burchardt, Miss	..	..	Oxford		1	0	0
Butler, Miss C. V.	..	..	Oxford		1	0	0
Butler, Miss E. M. Beresford	..	..	Oxford			5	0
Cameron, A. C., Esq.	..	..	..		1	1	0
Collier, Mrs. V.	..	..	Crowell		1	1	0
Corbett, Hon. E. C.	..	..	Charlbury		5	0	0
Coxe, Rev. Hilgrove	..	..	Brightwell Baldwin		1	1	0
Cozens, Mrs. E.	..		Weston-on-the-Green		1	0	0

Colleges:—

Merton	..	..	..	Oxford	2	0	0
Dashwood, The Lady Mary	..	..		Oxford	2	0	0
Diggle, Canon F. R.	..	..	..	Oxford	1	0	0
Duck, E., Esq.	..	..	..	Cowley	1	0	0
Dugdale, Mrs.	..	..	Moreton-in-the-Marsh		1	1	0
Edwards, Col. G. T.	..	..	Moreton-in-the-Marsh		1	1	0
Elliston & Cavell, Ltd.	..	..	Oxford		2	2	0
Freemason's Provincial Grand Lodge of							
Oxfordshire	..	..	..	Oxford	10	10	0
Goodrich, Prof. E. S.	..	..	..	Oxford	1	1	0
Hall, the late Sir Hugh	..	..	..	Oxford	1	1	0
Irving, Sir Miles	..	..	..	Oxford	1	1	0
Jeffreys, Mrs.	..	..	..	Clanfield		7	6
Jervis-Smith, the late Mrs.			Weston-super-Mare		1	1	0
King & Son, Messrs.	..	..	..	Oxford	1	1	0
Kirby, E. R., Esq.	..	..	..	Oxford	1	1	0
Lonsdale, Col. J. P. Heywood			Stratton Audley		3	0	0
Macclesfield, The Countess of..			Shirburn Castle		5	0	0

Carried forward £69 2 6

				£	s.	d.
			<i>Brought forward</i>	69	2	6
McKenzie, Rev. H. W.	..	..	Oxford	1	1	0
McMaster, Bryce, Esq.	..	..	Oxford	1	1	0
Major, Rev. Dr. H. D. A.	..	..	Boar's Hill	1	1	0
Mulford, Mrs.	..	..	..		10	0
Naab, F., Esq.	..	..	Oxford	1	1	0
Perkin, Mrs. W. H.	..	..	Oxford	3	3	0
Peyton, Lady Joan	..	..	Stoke Lyne	1	1	0
Poynton, Dr. A. B.	..	..	Oxford		10	6
St. Ebbe's Parochial Church	..	..	Oxford	1	1	0
Sanders, Miss	..	..	Oxford	1	1	0
Schuster, Mrs.	..	..	Oxford	2	2	0
Stevenson, Mrs.	..	..	Oxford	1	1	0
Stocker, W. N., Esq.	..	..	Oxford	2	2	0
Trevelyan, Lady	..	..	Oxford		10	0
Underhill, Mrs.	..	..	Oxford	1	1	0
Vernon Harcourt, Mrs.	..	..	Oxford		10	0
Ward, Miss B. M.	..	..	..		10	0
Warneford Hospital, The	..	..	Headington	1	1	0
Westminster Bank	..	..	Oxford	1	1	0
Williams, Rev. Dr. C. E. E.	..	..	Oxford	1	1	0
Total	..	..	..	£91	12	0

RECEIVED THROUGH JOINT HOSPITALS' BOARD.

				£	s.	d.
Allen, Mrs. H.	..	..	Oxford	1	1	0
Armstrong, Miss	..	..	Iffley	1	1	0
Babington, Mrs. M. A...	..	..	..	1	0	0
Barclays Bank, Ltd.	..	..	Oxford	1	1	0
Benecke, P. V. M., Esq.	..	..	Oxford	1	1	0
Beauchamp, Mrs. K. N.	..	..	Oxford		10	0
Biggs, Miss M. E.	..	..	Oxford		10	6
Bliss, Mrs. A. L.	..	..	Bampton	1	0	0
Bonner, Miss V.	..	..	Oxford		10	0
Boulton, Miss C. G.	..	..	Tew Park	2	0	0
Boulton, Miss P. M.	..	..	Tew Park	1	0	0
Bourne, Mrs. G. C.	..	..	Oxford	1	1	0
Brierley, Prof. J. N.	..	..	Oxford		10	0
Brown, J. Algernon, Esq.	..	..	Wheatley	1	1	0
Butler, Mrs. J.	..	..	Oxford	1	0	0
Calvert, Mrs. M. D.	..	..	Oxford	1	1	0
Cannan, Mrs. E.	..	..	Oxford	1	1	0
Cornish, Mrs. A.	..	..	Abingdon	2	0	0
Cornish, Mrs. S. E.	..	..	Abingdon	1	1	0
Cowie, Mrs.	..	..	Oxford	1	1	0

Carried forward £20 10 6

			£	s.	d.
	<i>Brought forward</i>		89	0	0
Lambert, Dr. & Mrs. Bertram	..	Oxford	1	1	0
Love, Prof. A. E. H.	.. ..	Oxford	1	1	0
Loyd, A. T., Esq.	.. ..	Lockinge	2	2	0
Macintosh, Mrs.	.. ..	Oxford	1	1	0
Mallam, Miss A.	.. ..	Oxford	1	1	0
Marzials, Miss F. A.	.. ..	Oxford		2	6
Merivale, Miss J. A.	.. ..	Oxford		10	0
Miles, Sir John, M.A., D.C.L.	..	Oxford	1	1	0
Miller, Major A. A.	.. ..	Shotover	2	0	0
Molony, E. A., Esq., C.B.E.	.. ..	Oxford		10	0
Morland, A. W...	.. ..	Abingdon		10	6
Morland, Mrs. Edward	.. ..	Oxford	4	0	0
Morland & Co., Ltd.	.. ..	Abingdon	3	3	0
Morphew, A. L., Esq.	.. ..	Wallingford	1	1	0
Mortimer, Miss M. L.	.. ..	.. ..		10	0
Mowbray, the Misses	.. ..	Oxford	1	1	0
Murray, Prof. Gilbert & Lady Mary		Boar's Hill	1	0	0
Nevell, Miss A.	.. ..	Oxford	1	1	0
Norton, G. W., Esq.	.. ..	Oxford	1	1	0
Oxford Co-operative and Industrial Society		Oxford	3	3	0
Oxford and District Gas Co.	.. ..	Oxford	3	3	0
Oxford University Press	.. ..	Oxford	10	10	0
Oxford Volunteer Fire Brigade	..	Oxford	1	1	0
Parker, the Hon. Henry, J.P.	..	Ramsden	1	1	0
Parrott, Miss	.. ..	Oxford		10	6
Parsons, H. J., Esq.	.. ..	Argyll	1	1	0
Parsons, Miss M. J.	.. ..	Elsfield	1	1	0
Peel, J. D., Esq.	.. ..	Stonesfield	1	1	0
Pinhorn, Miss Janet	.. ..	Oxford		10	0
Poole, Miss Lane	.. ..	Oxford		10	0
Price, Mrs. R. K.	.. ..	Buckingham	2	2	0
Salesian House	.. ..	Cowley	1	1	0
Sides, G. H., Esq.	.. ..	Worthing	1	1	0
Sing, Mrs.	.. ..	Oxford	3	0	0
Society of St. John the Evangelist	..	Oxford	2	0	0
Stephenson, Ltd.	.. ..	Oxford	1	1	0
Stevenson, Mrs. Phoebe	.. ..	Oxford	1	1	0
Stilliard, H. M., Esq.	.. ..	Oxford	1	1	0
Sutton, Miss M. A.	.. ..	Bloxham	1	1	0
Swinson, Mrs.	.. ..	Oxford	1	0	0
Thring, Mrs. S. A. G.	.. ..	Oxford	1	1	0
Tod, Mrs. M. N.	.. ..	Oxford	1	1	0
Trevelyan, Rev. J. C.	.. ..	Kennington		10	0
Tyrwhitt, Miss F. M.	.. ..	Oxford	1	1	0
Venables, Miss M.	.. ..	Oxford	2	2	0
Vincent, Messrs. J.	.. ..	Oxford		10	6
Ward, the Misses	.. ..	Oxford		10	0

Carried forward £157 12 0

				£	s.	d.
			<i>Brought forward</i>	157	12	0
Wardington, Lady	..	..	Banbury	1	1	0
Waterhouse, Dr. A. T...	..	..	Boar's Hill	1	1	0
Webber, C. P., Esq.	..	..	Oxford		17	6
West, Miss C. B.	..	..	Oxford	1	1	0
Wheeler, Rev. A.	..	..	Mixbury	5	5	0
Whitehead, Miss J. G.	Oxford	2	2	0
Williams, Dr. Ivy	Oxford	2	0	0
Wood, Miss D.	Steeple Aston	1	0	0
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				£171	19	6
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DONATIONS

Personal

RECEIVED DIRECT.

					£	s.	d.
Abingdon Post Office	1	10	0
Anonymous (4 donations)	4	12	6
Belcher, Miss D.	..	..	..	..		10	0
Bohemian Social Club	..	..	..	..	3	3	0
British Legion, Goring, etc.	..	..	..	..	2	2	0
C.B.	..	..	..	..		10	0
Carfax Lodge, No. 5723	..	..	..	..	2	2	0
Chamberlaine, Miss	..	..	..	..		10	0
Christ Church	..	..	..	..	4	0	0
City and Varsity Club	..	..	..	..	3	3	0
Claridge, Mr.	..	..	..	..		5	0
Clifton, Mrs. E.	..	..	..	..		10	0
Connell, Mrs.	..	..	..	..	1	0	0
Corby, Mrs.	..	..	..	..		12	6
Cuddendon Football Association	..	..	..	..		15	0
Dent, G. O.	..	..	..	..		7	6
Dona, G. E.	..	..	..	..	1	1	0
Ducker, E. S.	..	..	..	..	2	0	0
Edwards, Mrs.	..	..	..	..	1	0	0
Edwards, Miss	..	..	..	..	1	0	0
Fisher, Mrs.	..	..	..	..		5	0
Flowers, Mrs.	..	..	..	..		10	0
Froude, Miss K.	..	..	..	..	1	0	0
Girls of S. Oxford School	..	..	..	..		10	0
Godwin, E. H.	..	..	..	..	3	0	0
Hedges, Mr.	..	..	..	..	1	0	0
Hitchcock, Miss B.	..	..	..	..		10	0
James, C.	..	..	..	..		10	0

Carried forward £37 18 6

							£	s.	d.
						<i>Brought forward</i>	37	18	6
Moody, J.	..	..	..	..	..			18	0
Pallett, C. A.	..	..	..	..	..		5	0	0
Palmer, Mr.	..	..	..	..	..		1	0	0
Payne, Mrs.	..	..	..	..	..			10	0
Pontin, Mrs. E.	..	..	..	..	..		1	0	0
Pressed Steel Co.	..	..	..	..	..		22	0	0
Pressed Steel Social and Athletic Club	..	..	..	..	..		1	1	0
Raven, Rev. C. O.	..	..	..	..	..		1	1	0
Ricketts, Miss	..	..	..	..	..		2	0	0
Shirley, Mrs.	..	..	..	..	..			10	0
Sister Anne (St. Thomas')	..	..	..	..	..			16	0
Swindell, Mr. & Mrs.	..	..	..	..	..		1	0	0
Tatham, Mrs. C. S.	..	..	..	..	..		1	1	0
Teale, G. E.	..	..	..	..	..		2	2	0
Temple, H.	..	..	..	..	..			10	0
Wagstaffe, F. T.	..	..	..	..	..		1	0	0
Waite, Mr.	..	..	..	..	..		1	0	0
Wakelin, Mr.	..	..	..	..	..		1	0	0
Webb, Mr.	..	..	..	..	..			10	0
Wiblin, Mrs.	..	..	..	..	..		1	0	0
Willetts, Mrs.	..	..	..	..	..		2	0	0
Wilsdon, Miss	..	..	..	..	..			10	0
Wilsdon, E. J.	..	..	..	..	..		2	0	0
Withers, Mr. W.	..	..	..	..	..		2	2	0
Wood, J. R.	..	..	..	..	..		1	1	0
Yasker, Mr.	..	..	..	..	..			10	0
Three donations under 5/-	..	..	..	..	..			6	6
							<u>£91 7 0</u>		

RECEIVED THROUGH JOINT HOSPITALS BOARD.

					£	s.	d.
Alfred Lodge, Oxford	2	2	0
East Oxford Liberal Club	5	5	0
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					£7	7	0
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Miscellaneous.

RECEIVED DIRECT.

						£	s.	d.	
Chipping Norton Hospital Saturday..	3	0	0	
City of Oxford Education Committee	25	0	0	
Pressed Steel Jig Shop..		12	0	
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							£28	12	0

RECEIVED THROUGH JOINT HOSPITALS BOARD.

	£	s.	d.
Alexandra Rose Day	65	0	0
Berks, Bucks & Oxon Allocation <i>re</i> Grant from			
Berks C.C.	15	19	9
Bucks County Council.. .. .	2	2	0
Combined Hospitals Appeal Committee	2	0	0
Oxon C.C.—Allocation of Donation by	24	0	0
Oxon C.C.—Donations; share of	23	14	10
Oxford High School Guild of Social Service.. .. .	5	0	0
Special Efforts	20	17	0
Un-earmarked Contributions.. .. .	86	3	5
	<hr/> £244 17 0 <hr/>		

Charity Trustees.

RECEIVED DIRECT.

	£	s.	d.
Ascott-under-Wychwood Charity Trustees	2	2	0
Elder Stubbs Charity Oxford	3	3	0
Hall, Major C., Memorial Charity Great Rollright	1	1	0
St. Aldate's Parochial Charities	6	6	0
Woodstock Municipal Charities	3	3	0
	<hr/> £15 15 0 <hr/>		

RECEIVED THROUGH JOINT HOSPITALS BOARD.

	£	s.	d.
Dawson's Charity Oxford	15	0	0
Holywell Parochial Charity Oxford	2	2	0
Macdermot's Charity Tadmarton	2	2	0
Poor's Land Charity Sunningwell	1	1	0
St. Mary-the-Virgin Charity Oxford	8	0	0
Thame Parochial Charities	2	2	0
	<hr/> £30 7 0 <hr/>		

Employees' Contributions.

RECEIVED DIRECT.

	£	s.	d.
Church Army Press	4	4	0
ditto ditto	4	4	0
Clarendon Press	45	0	0
Morris Motors	355	18	5
Morris Radiators	25	14	0
Mowbray, A. R. & Co., Ltd.	13	3	10
Woodford Workers' Hospital Fund	3	3	0
	<hr/> £451 7 3 <hr/>		

RECEIVED THROUGH JOINT HOSPITALS BOARD.

	£	s.	d.
Oxford and District Gas Co.	11	0	0
Oxford and District Post Offices	6	6	0
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	£17	6	0
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Entertainments, Clubs, etc.

RECEIVED DIRECT..

	£	s.	d.
Aynho Social Evening (Mrs. Tew)	6	2	9
Charlbury Football Charity Cup Competition	1	1	0
Shrivenham Dance	5	5	0
" Snooker "	8	0	6
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	£20	9	3
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RECEIVED THROUGH JOINT HOSPITALS BOARD.

	£	s.	d.
Combined Hospitals Appeal		5	0
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Friendly Societies.

	£	s.	d.
Ancient Order of Foresters—			
Duke of Cornwall, No. 152	1	1	0
Stanton St. John.. .. .	1	0	0
Manchester Unity of Oddfellows—			
Borough Lodge	1	1	0
Wellington Lodge.. .. .	1	1	0
Good Intent Lodge	2	2	0
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	£6	5	0
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League of Mercy.

	£	s.	d.
League of Mercy	5	0	0
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COLLECTING BOXES & CARDS

	£	s.	d.
Adams, P. E. H.	2	9	3
PER JOINT HOSPITALS BOARD.			
Per Joint Hospitals Board	2	5	8
Royal Oak Whitewash Box	1	15	0
ditto ditto	2	5	0
Collecting Boxes in Hospital	87	12	5
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	£96	7	4
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CHURCHES, CHAPELS & PARISHES

Offertories, Harvest Thanksgivings, etc.

RECEIVED DIRECT.

	£	s.	d.
Appleford	2	0	0
Ardley with Fewcott	1	7	6
Ascott-under-Wychwood	3	5	10
Aston Rowant and Kingston Blount	1	19	6
Aston Tirrold with Aston Upthorne	3	8	1
Berrick Salome		10	6
Bicester	2	2	0
Bracknell (St. Peter's)		17	7
Brize Norton	1	0	0
Cassington	1	12	6
Challow East (St. Nicholas)		17	6
Challow, West		7	6
Cianfield	3	3	9
Coombe (St. Lawrence)	2	2	0
Cuddesdon	2	13	4
Finstock	1	1	0
Fyfield (St. Nicholas)		10	6
Hardwick (St. Mary's)	2	12	1
Islip	2	8	8
Kingham	1	17	2
Launton	2	1	0
Lechlade	2	8	0
Littlemore	2	9	1
Long Wittenham	1	17	7
Marcham Parish Church	2	16	4
Marsh Gibbon	1	12	6
North Leigh	1	8	6

Carried forward 50 10 0

					£	s.	d.
					50	10	0
Oxford—							
Holywell (St. Cross)	..	..	..	..	2	14	0
Magdalen College Chapel	..	..	..	..	2	10	0
St. Ebbe's	..	..	..	..	2	11	2
Trinity College Chapel	..	..	..	..		11	0
University College Chapel	..	..	..	..		10	9
Pyrton	..	..	..	..	1	11	0
Shrivenham	..	..	..	..	1	14	0
Shrivenham	..	..	..	..	1	17	0
South Leigh (St. James)	..	..	..	..	2	5	6
Stanton Harcourt	..	..	..	..	2	1	0
Steeple Aston	..	..	..	..	1	14	6
Steeple Aston Methodist Church	..	..	..	..		10	0
Steeple Aston Methodist Church	..	..	..	..		10	6
Swyncombe	..	..	..	..	2	2	0
Tubney	..	..	..	..	2	14	9
Warborough	..	..	..	..	3	0	0
Wesley Memorial Sunday School	..	..	..	..		6	6
Wootton Methodist Church	..	..	..	..	2	0	0
					£81	13	8

RECEIVED THROUGH JOINT HOSPITALS BOARD.

						£	s.	d.
Abingdon—St. Helen's, St. Michael and St. Nicholas						5	0	0
Besselsleigh	..	..	..	..	..	1	10	0
Bletchington	..	..	..	..	..	1	12	9
Blewbury	..	..	..	..	..	2	0	0
Brightwell	..	..	..	..	..	2	2	0
Clifton Hampden	..	..	..	..	..	2	10	7
Coombe Methodist Church	..	..	..	..	..	1	0	0
Deddington Wesleyan Reform Chapel	..	..	..	..	..		10	0
Dry Sandford	..	..	..	..	..	1	4	11
Handborough Parish Church	..	..	..	..	..		10	0
Hanborough (Christ Church)	..	..	..	..	..		10	0
West Ilsley (All Saints)	..	..	..	..	..	3	12	4
Kiddington	..	..	..	..	..		10	0
Kirtlington	..	..	..	..	..	3	13	4
Murcott	..	..	..	..	..		12	6
Oxford—								
Highfield	..	..	..	..	..	4	2	6
Headington Quarry (Holy Trinity)	..	..	..	..	..	1	17	8
Manchester College	..	..	..	..	..		8	0
St. Andrew's	..	..	..	..	..	4	8	1
St. Clement's	..	..	..	..	..	4	0	0
St. Ebbe's	..	..	..	..	..	3	9	0
						Carried forward	£45	3 8

							£	s.	d.
						<i>Brought forward</i>	45	3	8
St. Giles'	..	..	..	..	..		5	10	4
St. Margaret's	..	..	..	..	..		1	0	0
St. Mary-the-Virgin	..	..	..	..	..		2	0	0
St. Michael and All Angels	..	..	..	..	..		8	12	0
St. Philip and St. James's		2	0	0
Wolvercote (St. Peter's)		2	17	6
Little Tew			17	11
Watlington		2	2	0
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							£70	3	5
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INFORMATION RESPECTING
THE OXFORD EYE HOSPITAL

THE work was commenced in 1886 by Robert Walter Doyne. After some tentative arrangements, the Hospital was established (for both in-patients and out-patients) in two adjoining houses in Wellington Square. In 1894 a ten years' lease was obtained of a block of buildings in Walton Street belonging to the Radcliffe Infirmary; and by adding an upper storey to the west wing, and making certain structural alterations, the buildings were rendered suitable for the requirements of an Eye Hospital. Further enlargements having become necessary, another lease was secured in 1901, this time for forty years, and an upper storey added to the east wing. Early in the year 1912 a small Laboratory was built on to the Hospital, and fitted with the most modern appliances, in order to provide the Staff with improved facilities for pathological research.

An important addition was made to the Hospital buildings in the year 1924 by the construction of a covered corridor connecting the upper floors of the two wings of the building on one level and providing the accommodation necessary for open-air treatment.

In 1932 part of the space under the corridor was enclosed to form a Book-room.

A further lease has been secured for seven years after the expiry of the present lease in 1941.

In 1935 a Nurses' Home, containing eight bedrooms and two sitting rooms and connected with the Hospital by a covered bridge, and a new Dispensary and additional dark rooms were added to the Hospital buildings.

Admission of Patients.—The Hospital is administered solely for the benefit of the poor. No "Turns" or Tickets of Admission are required, but a charge of 6*d.* is made for each out-patient attendance. Only those not in a position to pay for private special surgical treatment are admitted. The Visitor for the week makes the

necessary inquiries into the suitability of applicants for admission and treatment, and is authorised to remit payment in cases of real necessity. The Visitor of the House Committee may require the production of a letter from a local clergyman, or other competent person, to show that the applicant is duly qualified for admission.

Members of the following organisations, which contribute to the Hospital, are admitted for free treatment on presentation of a certificate that they contribute. No inquiry into means is necessary.

Morris Motors.

Osberton Radiator Welfare and Sports Club.

Oxford and District Gas Co.

Clarendon Press.

Head Postmaster and Staff of Oxford District.

A. M. Mowbray, Ltd.

Church Army Press.

Woodford Workers.

Oxford Gas Company.

Alpha Cement Co., Ltd.

Oxford and Cowley Ironworks.

All Blind Persons and Persons in the following categories are also admitted for free treatment without inquiry:

Inmates of The Poplars, Nazareth House and The Church Army Labour Home.

Patients, Nurses and Employés from the Radcliffe Infirmary and associated hospitals.

Patients and Nurses from Public Assistance Institutions.

Army Pensioners if sent by the War Pensions Committee, who make a payment of 2/- a visit.

Infants under one year of age from Oxford City if sent by the M.O. of Health or the City Maternity and Child Welfare Committee, who make a payment of 1/- a visit on their behalf.

Contributors to the Radcliffe Infirmary Contributory Scheme are not entitled to free out-patient treatment.

at the Eye Hospital, as it is not one of the associated Hospitals of the Scheme.

Special arrangements are made for insured persons who are entitled to ophthalmic benefit. Undergraduates who are unable to pay private fees must bring a letter from the Bursar of the College stating their inability to pay.

In-Patients.—The Hospital can accommodate about 36 in-patients. These are ordinarily expected to pay the cost (or part of the cost) of their maintenance and treatment, the proportion to be decided in regard to the circumstances of each case. Admission is never refused to a patient who cannot pay anything.

In-patients under treatment can only obtain permission to go out beyond the Hospital grounds by express order or for special reasons. When such permission is given the patient must inform the Matron before leaving the house, and also report his (or her) return.

Smoking is only permitted with the sanction of the Surgeons.

Patients may be visited by their parochial clergymen, or if not members of the Church of England, by ministers of their own denominations.

Visitors may be admitted to see patients on Sundays, Wednesdays and Saturdays between 2 p.m. and 4 p.m. Special cases may be visited at other times by permission of the Surgeons or the Matron.

Visitors are not allowed to give any article of food or drink or tobacco to any patient without express permission of the Surgeons.

Hours of Attendance.—The work of the Hospital begins at 9 a.m. Accidents and urgent cases are admitted at any time. For ordinary cases: patients from the country are admitted on Wednesdays, new patients at 9.30 a.m., after first attendance at 10 a.m.; patients from the City of Oxford on Thursdays at 9.30 a.m. (new cases only) and on Tuesdays at 9.30 a.m. (after first attendance).

Medicines.—The Hospital Dispensary supplies the drugs, lotions, etc., ordered, at cost price. Special arrangements are made for patients unable to pay anything.

Spectacles are not supplied by the Hospital, but only the necessary prescriptions. A list of opticians who have agreed to supply Hospital patients with spectacles at fixed charges according to the prescription and type of frame, will be found in the out-patient department.

Management.—The affairs of the Hospital are directed by a General Committee meeting three times a year; as a rule, on the 4th Wednesday in February, the second Wednesday in June, and the third Wednesday in October. The management and business of the house and matters of detail and expenditure are controlled by a House Committee, which meets once a week in the Hospital. One member of this Committee (in rotation) undertakes the duty of visiting the Hospital for a week. The Visitor is also present during the hours of admission of new patients on Wednesdays and Thursdays, and is authorised to deal with any question about the suitability of a patient for admission or to refer the matter to the House Committee.

Post-Graduate Instruction.—A post-graduate Course of Instruction in Ophthalmology is held every summer term at the Oxford Eye Hospital, lasting for two months. This course is obligatory for candidates taking the examination for the Diploma in Ophthalmology granted by the University of Oxford. The subjects included are Anatomy of the Eye, Physiological Optics, Pathology, Bacteriology and Development of the Eye, Clinical lectures and clinical instruction and medical ophthalmology. The inclusive fee for the course is fifteen guineas, with two guineas attendance fee for the Eye Hospital. All information can be had on application to the Dean of the Medical School, Oxford University.

THE OXFORD AND DISTRICT JOINT HOSPITALS' BOARD

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THE Oxford and District Joint Hospitals' Board was formed in 1935 with the object of co-ordinating local hospital services, so that each constituent hospital might be enabled to fulfil the function for which it is best equipped, without wasteful overlapping and duplication. The Board includes representatives not only of voluntary hospitals but also of local authorities, medical services, and contributory and provident schemes in the area.

During 1940 the Berks, Bucks, and Oxon Regional Hospitals Council was formed, and is recognised by the Nuffield Provincial Hospitals Trust as the body representative of hospital services in these three counties. The Oxford and District Joint Hospitals' Board is one of the three Divisional Councils included in this Council. The progress which is being made towards the provision of a planned hospital service in Oxford and the surrounding districts has recently been the subject of favourable comment by the Minister of Health and by Lord Sankey who was Chairman of the Voluntary Hospitals Commission appointed by the British Hospitals Association.

The Oxford and District Joint Hospitals' Board has during 1940, kept continuously under review the services available in the area which it serves, and has reported on the need for the provision of further accommodation.

The hospitals associated with the Board have also

derived financial benefit, particularly as a result of contributions received from Local Authorities and of the Special Efforts organised in association with the Contributory Scheme.

The following hospitals are associated with the Board:

Radcliffe Infirmary; Wingfield-Morris Orthopaedic Hospital; Oxford Eye Hospital; Horton General Hospital, Banbury; Warren Hospital, Abingdon; Bicester Cottage Hospital; Buckingham Hospital; Burford Cottage Hospital; Chipping Norton and District War Memorial Hospital; Didcot Hospital; Fairford Cottage Hospital; Faringdon Cottage Hospital; Victoria Cottage Hospital, Thame; Wantage Hospital; Watlington and District Cottage Hospital; Swindon and North Wilts Victoria Hospital; Savernake Hospital, Marlborough.

